

## Message Text

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C O N F I D E N T I A L TOKYO 3290

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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PINT, JA

SUBJECT: MEDIA HANDLING OF ADACHI REMARK

REF: TOKYO 3215

AS REPORTED REFTEL, KYODO NEWS SERVICE REPORTED MARCH 3  
THE REMARK ATTRIBUTED TO SENIOR TANAKA FACTION AND LDP  
LOWER HOUSE MEMBER TOKURO ADACHI TO EFFECT THAT USG  
"MADE FOOL OF JAPAN" BY APPOINTING AS ENVOY TO JAPAN  
A MAN CONNECTED WITH LOCKHEED. ADACHI REMARK WAS  
CARRIED IN LATE MARCH 3 EVENING EDITIONS OF VERNACULAR  
TOKYO SHIMBUN AND NIHON KEIZAI SHIMBUN, BUT NOT IN  
EVENING TELEVISION NEWSCASTS. IT ALSO APPEARED IN  
MARCH 4 ENGLISH LANGUAGE MAINICHI AND YOMIURI NEWSPAPERS  
AND IN VERNACULAR MAINICHI PAGE TWO POLITICAL GOSSIP  
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